



# Vale Recreation Football Club

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August 2024

Dear Players and Parents,

Last Season Vale Rec finished as Channel Islands Champions and Priaulx Champions, winning also the Stranger and FA Cups. This was a huge achievement and there is a real sense of excitement within the Club. We are all looking forward to the season ahead as we set out to defend our titles and we ask you to support the Club in any way you can to make 2024/2025 just as memorable.

Registration Forms can be found on our website. All players must complete a registration form to be able to play for the club. For Minis, please complete it and bring it with you on September 7, 2024, from 10:00 am when registration for Minis will take place. For Youth and Senior players these can be returned to your Coach or directly to the club via email: [valerec@cwgsy.net](mailto:valerec@cwgsy.net)

Set out below is some useful information for you to know and links to read.

Creating safe environments in every football setting is a collective responsibility. It's important that every single person in football – no matter if we are actively involved or on the sidelines – understands that we all have an ongoing role to play. Knowing how to act on any concerns is vital and Play Safe is a keyway to raise awareness so that everyone is vigilant and knows what to do if they become aware of any inappropriate behaviour. Vale Rec is totally supportive and aligned as a community club with the aims of the FA Play Safe Campaign.

Play Safe focuses on the safeguarding role EVERYONE must play – coach, player, parent/carer, spectator, or volunteer – to keep children and young people safe, no matter what the football setting. EVERYONE, EVERYWHERE, EVERYTIME is encouraged to WATCH, LISTEN, TALK and ACT if they have any safeguarding concerns. Our Welfare Officer will be Kate Dorey, and she will be supported by Claire, Andy and Sami. We have consciously increased the size of our Welfare Team to provide better visibility and access to make raising any safeguarding concerns easier. Kate or any of the other Welfare Officers can be contacted at any time for any concerns you may have at: [welfare@valerefc.com](mailto:welfare@valerefc.com). Please do not hesitate to speak with any of the team however small you think your concern may be.

With Play Safe in mind please find attached other information about the club overleaf.

## **Information & Safeguarding**

We would ask that you join our Facebook Page – **Vale Recreation Clubhouse**, as this is the main platform for all Club communications.



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## Rules and Policies

Please can we ask you to read the various 'rules and policies' listed below – all of which can be found on our website [www.valerecfc.com](http://www.valerecfc.com).

- [Club Rules](#)
- [Child Protection Policy](#)
- [Anti-Discrimination Policy](#)
- [Equal Opportunity Policy](#)
- [GDPR–Privacy Statement](#)
- [Code of Conduct: Youth](#)
- [Code of Conduct: Parents](#)
- [Code of Conduct: Coaches](#)
- [Code of Conduct: Seniors](#)
- [Safeguarding Adults](#)

## Minis Training Pitches

We have once again secured the use of Rue Maingy for Reception to Year 4 for when conditions prevent us from training at the Corbet Field. Years 5, 6 and 7 will use the grass pitches at St Sampsons High School when the Corbet field is not available. Please ensure you look at our Facebook Page – Vale Recreation Clubhouse – for weekly training updates.

## Corbet Field Parking

There is parking at the Corbet Field and at times (Saturday mornings and/or festivals) we may ask that you access the club via the Marks & Spencer's entrance and exit out of the Corbet Field onto Le Grand, Fort Road. Please keep an eye on the Facebook Page for updates and always be vigilant as young children will be in and around the Parking Area.

## Lost Property

We have a brown plastic storage box which is situated to the side of the main stand. All items of lost property will be placed in this storage box.

## Coaches/First Aiders

The information can be found on our website [www.valerecfc.com](http://www.valerecfc.com).

## Welfare Officers:

Principal Welfare Officer : Kate Dorey: [welfare@valerecfc.com](mailto:welfare@valerecfc.com)

Deputy Welfare Officers : Claire Ely, Andy Moore, Sami Rodriques

## Annual Registration Fees for 2024/2025

Registration Fees and payment details are can be found on the relevant Subscription Form. Registration Fees can be paid by Card at the Club or via a BACS payment to the Club's bank account as follows:

*Payee: Vale Recreation FC, Sort Code: 40-22-25, A/c Number: 92779617, Reference: Child's Name & Year*